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## NUGENT ANSWERS BAILEY.

### As to Calhoun's Views on Paper Circulation.

### With a Jab at Quibbles, Spurts of So-called Eloquence and Sophistry to Catch the Unthinking.

FORT WORTH, Tex., Aug. 31. —[To The News.]—Sickness has prevented me from giving earlier attention to the interview with Congressman Bailey which appeared in your issue of the 29th instant. The quotation from Mr. Calhoun's speech to which Mr. Bailey refers was taken by me at second hand from a book whose accuracy I had no reason to doubt. I did not have the speech at hand and simply selected the few sentences quoted in my Austin speech as a brief exposition of Mr. Calhoun's well known views on the question of paper circulation, viz, that such circulation issued by the government and made receivable in payment of public dues would keep it at par with the metals, and that too, when issued in amount exceeding the actual revenues of government.

Speaking of such paper money, he says:

Nothing but experience can demonstrate what amount and of what denominations might be safely issued; but it may be safely assumed that the country would absorb an amount greatly exceeding its annual income. Much of its exchanges, which amount to a vast sum, as well as its banking business, would revolve about it, and many millions would thus be kept in circulation beyond the demands of the government.

The use of the word "money" is of small importance. It may not be in the original speech from which the quotation was taken, and if not I feel sure that its use by the author in the book from which I quoted must have been an inadvertence. The term has a technical as well as a popular meaning, and the latter was in my mind when I used the quotation in full confidence that it was accurate. Mr. Calhoun in another speech arguing in favor of the constitutionality of such paper circulation says:

"If congress, then, has power to regulate commerce it must have a control over that money, whatever it may be, with which commerce is actually carried on, whether that money be coin or paper.

Of course Mr. Calhoun here calls paper issues of the government money, and he was in good company in so characterizing them. Daniel Webster said in a speech delivered in the United States senate:

"It is not to be doubted that the constitution intended that congress should exercise a regulating power, a power both necessary and salutary, over that which should constitute the actual money of the country, whether that money were coin or the representative of coin.

Here Webster calls the "representative of coin" (i. e. paper) money. Coming down to later times I have no doubt that the distinguished congressman himself will recollect how in 1869 patriotic republicans and democrats, opposing the credit strengthening act, contended that the national bonds were payable in "lawful money," in greenbacks, which are merely the government's promises to pay. I suppose when Mr. Bailey gets a monthly check for his salary and has it cashed in national bank notes (another limited legal tender) the feeling grows upon him with refreshing vigor that he has money about his person. And no wonder, since the national bank act provides that after full compliance with its terms by any national bank, such bank receiving notes from the government, "may issue and circulate the same as money."

But in his haste to make a point Mr. Bailey has failed to observe that neither our national platform nor my Austin speech advocates "fiat money." Of course I understand that all money is fiat money in the sense that the law alone gives it circulation and value as money. Congressman Bailey obviously used the expression "fiat money" in the sense of irredeemable money—money of ultimate payment. Neither the platform nor speech referred to anywhere advocates such fiat money; but they both advocate in expressive language "a currency safe, sound and flexible," issued directly to the people without the intervention of banks in sufficient amount to raise the aggregate circulation to $50 per capita. There is no suggestion of "fiat money" that is irredeemable money in either speech or platform, but both favor a currency with full legal tender qualities, leaving the particular form of the issue to be determined by congress.

My purpose was to show that such a currency could be maintained at par with the metals; and this I did show by citing the opinion of Mr. Widney, to the effect that $50 per capita could be a safe limit to the volume of circulation without depreciation, by quotations from McCullough, Ricardo and Price, sustaining the proposition that paper money, even if incontrovertable, may be sustained at par with the metals by properly limiting its quality and lastly by citing Mr. Calhoun's opinion that paper circulation issued by the government and made receivable in its dues could be maintained at par with coin.

The argument was, if a paper currency with only limited legal tender qualities, or altogether inconvertable, could be successfully used as money, by properly limiting its quantity, much more could a full legal tender paper currency, whether issued in the form of promissory notes or otherwise. I was not discussing the question of irredeemability, which, by the way, had not arisen in the days of Calhoun at all, but simply—

1. Whether a paper circulation issued in properly limited quantity and made a full legal tender could be floated by the government at par with the coins; and

2. Whether $50 per capita would be a proper limitation to place on the aggregate value of circulation.

It may be observed, in passing, that the people's party only propose to add to the circulation paper currency sufficient to bring it up to the per capita stated.

Mr. Bailey is apparently solicitous that Calhoun should not be classed with those who now advocate "a paper money which men shall be compelled to accept in satisfaction of debts." I have shown that Mr. Calhoun did call the "paper" he advocated money. Had he proposed to make this "paper" a full legal tender in payment of debts, he would have occupied ground fifty years in advance of his day, but such "paper," if it had been issued, would have derived no weakness, as all can see, from the fact that the law had given it such enlarged debts paying qualities.

But is Congressman Bailey opposed to "a paper money which men shall be compelled to accept in satisfaction of debts?" Is he opposed to our greenback circulation? Does he think this currency, as demanded by the democratic platform of 1876, should be paid off, retired and cancelled? I should be rejoiced to know the state of his mind on all these questions.

The times seem sadly out of joint. One congressman kicks a door down in his frantic efforts to escape the necessity of being counted and thereby obtains national notoriety. Another refuses to accept compensation for a few days' service which he had not rendered, and he, also, for such a simple act of good conscience obtains an equal amount of notoriety. To another still, fame comes from the persiatent repetition that ancient formula, "I object". Yet, how many of these excellent gentlemen have, under an oppressive sense of the wrongful condition prevailing at Washington, gone among their constituencies, determined in the cause of justice, to preach a crusade against such foul conditions until an aroused, indignant and long suffering people should be induced to send representatives to the capitol city upon whom they could rely to do the work of complete reform?

A campaign is on. A quibble here, a half truth there; here a spurt of so-called eloquence to give zest to the fight, there a bit of sophestry to catch the unthinking; all around the circle a din of noise, of "confusion worse confounded," with the pyrotechnics in air, and the politicians deftly handling the vast political machine "on business principles." With all these things entering quadrennially into the heart and brain of a great nation for four months or more agitating and convulsing the very centers of its life, is there any wonder that the people have been slow to comprehend the situation? Now what they do see, a fight is on that superficial quibbling cannot control or check.

T. L. NUGENT.

## YOU HEAR MOSES.

### He Offers to "Do Up" Senatr Mills on Demand.

WACO, Tex., Aug. 27.—Majah Moses C. Harris, well known to Texas journalism, has something to say about Mills' adhesion to the Hogg ticket which he says in his usual bristling English. Here it is:

Waco. August 25, 1892.

To one like myself, who has carefully followed the course of Senator Mills, his declaration that he will support Hogg and the camp followers who trail at the heels of that extinguished individual, excites no surprise.

I concede to Mr. Mills a familiarity with the tariff question surpassed by no man in the nation; I conceded, further, his eminent abilities in behalf of tariff reform as interpreted by himself, but I recognize, further, that among all our public men few if any have ever dared to assume the arbitrary and distatorial chieftainship which this self-assumed champion of Texas has arrogantly usurped to himself.

For years the people of Texas have loved and revered Roger Q. Mills, because they believed him to be the embodiment of honest politics and all that was pure in democratic thought and sentiment. The democracy of Texas have revered him for his honesty, his unselfishness and singleness of purpose. But, alas! the hand of the iconoclast has swept the veil of insincerity from the idol of Texas and left him a treacherous, ungrateful, intriguing demagogue.

There be honor, it is said, among thieves. But what shall be said of a man occupying the high and exalted position of United States senator who would deliberately sacrifice his best friend and stain a record which if not free from blemish was at least free from dishonor, simply to advance his political fortunes?

And yet, Senator Mills is guilty of these things, and I stand ready to furnish the proof, over his own signature of every allegation herein contained. Will Senator Mills or some of his friends demand the proof?

MOSE C. HARRIS.

WHEN Judge Clark said it was a fight to the finish, he meant just what he said, and the democracy of Texas will be with him.—Denton Monitor.

## THE PROTECTIVE TARIFF.

BY PROF. A. F. A. STRAIO,

By protective tariff is meant encouragement of certain industries by closing out to some extent trade of similar industries from foreign nations through means of tariff on the commodities or products of the latter; whereas, the tariff or tax thus obtained goes into the United States treasury towards paying the expenses of the governmen.

Some inconsistency, and possibly some injustice, is there associated with this tariff; but too much of the low prices on produce and high prices on commercial necessaries, and hard times generally, is there laid to this by many of the laboring classes, or rather by the politicians for them. In the first place, it is to be noticed that all this protective tariff does, is to close out to some extent from this country certain products by taxing the same in coming from foreign countries here, and hasn't necessarily anything to do with the products manufactured or made here, only in case there can't enough of such products be made here to supply the demand of the country or in case they can be made cheaper in the foreign country than in this country. That is, protective tariff merely acts as a factor towards making our nation a self sustaining one; and that no one in this country is damaged by it unless there is a scarcity of such products which are closed out or can be made cheaper in the foreign country, and thereby the purchasers of the respective products compelled to pay a higher price, either for the home raised or manufactured products owing to their scarcity or expensiveness or for the foreign raised or manufactured products owing to the duty or tax laid thereon. Or again, protective tariff merely has a tendency to make the condition of our country the same as it would be were there no such thing as foreign countries, and we left by ourselves to have such prices as would exist through regulation between the producers and consumers.

I will illustrate by example by taking a product made in this country and suppose it to have no tariff laid thereon when imported, and afterwards to have a tariff laid thereon and see the consequence. I will take corn for the product, being it is common the world over, and will answer every purpose to draw out the principle. Corn can now be bought any place, say, in our country for fifty cents a bushel. But suppose there is a tax of one dollar put on every bushel of corn which is imported from foreign countries—what effect has this upon the corn purchasers or corn producers of our country? It would merely close out from this country to some extent foreign corn; and as far as scarcity is concerned, have nothing to do with the price of corn in this country; for if closing out of foreign corn makes it a scarcity in this country, there will only be a greater number go into raising it, thereby leaving the price the rame as before. But if foreigners, owing to a more favorable condition of things, can raise it with enough less expenses so that our people can import it from there at a less cost than it can be gotten from our own corn raisers, our people, universally, would be damaged in proportion. This is true of all products, tools, machinery, cloth, wheat, —everything.

Thus, whether protective tariff is an advantage or a disadvantage to the masses, it is only so to the extent foreigners can raise or manufacture products cheaper than our people—if they can produce or manufacture and import so as to sell at cheaper rates, then no tariff or free trade is an advantage to the masses, but if they can merely compete with our people then protective tariff would neither be an advantage or a disadvantage to the masses; and of course, if they cannot produce or manufacture and import so as to sell at a cheaper rate or as cheap a rate; protective tariff would become impractical and void as their products would remain away without it. And again, in case we cannot compete with foreigners in certain productions, protective tariff could be for no other purpose than to make our nation self-supporting and independent, and would not be to raise prices on the respective productions and lower them on respective commercial necessaries as we would merely get them from foreigners cheaper.

The question now arises, being as foreigners produce or manufactur and import and sell at lower rates to some extent (since otherwise we would need no projection), is this advantage of free trade to the masses above the evil which would be incurred by making our nation less self sustaining and independent? My answer is, that there should be free trade, except have protective tariff enough necessary to render our republic sufficiently self-sustaining in case of political contention or war with other nations; that is, have certain industries, whereof the products are likely to be imported, encouraged by protective tariff, so that we are not liable to be disastriously curtailed in the respective productions by the enemy or their allies. But that to settle this matter, leave it to our Congressmen honestly elected by the people; and while protection may prevail, be contented with the ingenuity and producing abilities of our own nation.

This idea in the south, which has been plead and cherished, that the hard times are due to the tariff, and in the north that unless we have high tariff disaster of our country will follow, is all a fraud and a humbug. The truth is that the democrat who lays hard times to the protective tariff merely puts our nation as an enterprising and self-supporting one below that of foreign nations, while the republican who lays the salvation of our country to high tariff looks upon foreign nations as endowed with perfidy and distrust.

What now can be thought of politicians who have been talking themselves into a fever over the wrongs associated with this tariff protection, when it is seen that protection means nothing but putting our country towards a condition similar as it would be were there no foreign countries, and free trade nothing but the benefit of the trade of foreign countries in such productions they are our superior? What else can be thought but to foster political parties; being that it has been a matter the people could not understand right, it afforded a good basis for a division, and good schemes for office-seeking politicians to work themselves into office, and for private corporations to get legislative favors extended them.

Yea, time is it then for the people to begin to break loose from the dictation of those misleading demagogues and commence to think for themselves. I have never belonged to the farmers alliance or any industrial organization whatever, but honor do I them (or any men no matter what they may style their creed) who have moral and physical courage enough to think for themselves and assert their rights, and not allow themselves to be held in humiliation and submissiveness to certain classes headed by demagogues for their individual profits and splendor.

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We commend the wise and patriotic steps already taken by our government to secure an international conference to adopt such measures as will insure a parity of value between gold and silver for use as money throughout the world.

We hold to the use of both gold and silver as the standard money of the country, and to the coinage of both gold and silver without discriminating against each metal or charge for mintage; but the dollar unit of coinage of both metals must be of equal intrinsic and exchangeable value, or be adjusted through international agreement or by such safeguards of legislation as shall insure the maintenance of the parity of the two metals and the equal power of every dollar at all times in the markets and in the payment of debts; and we demand that all paper currency shall be kept at par with and redeemable in such coin. We insist upon this policy as especially necessary for the protection of the farmers and laboring classes—the first and most defenseless victims of unstable money and a fluctuating currency.

THE News will publish in tomorrow's issue the great speech of Judge Nugent, the people's candidate for governor in Texas. It is the very best political speech that has been made this year. It is particularly simple, clear and exhaustive upon the financial issues and treats the free coinage question most graphically. Whoever desires a clear understanding of the principles of the Populists party, its financial position, the necessity for free coinage and the railroad problem, should read Judge Nugent's speech, sure.—Denver News.

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"Was it ever published?" asked Wagg.

"No. It was lost in the mails and never turned up again," said Dulle.

"You always were a lucky fellow," said Wagg.

"I get my daughter to play evenings after supper. I find it's good for dyspepsia." "I never knew that." "Oh, yes; just as soon as she begins to play I have to run away as fast as possible, and a little exercise after meals is always healthy."—Fliegende Blatter.

It is related that a chronic office seeker died a few years ago, and his friends asked a well-known journalist for an epitaph for his tombstone. The journalist suggested the following, which was not, however, adopted: "Here lies John Jones in the only place for which he never applied."—Blizzard.

A WESTERN editor met a well-educated farmer recently and said to him that he would like to have something from his pen. The farmer sent him a pig and charged him $9.75 for it.—Ex.

A FEW months ago the Gazette was skinned for skinning Mills. The fellows who then skinned the Gazette for skinning Mills are now engaged in skinning Mills themselves. It's a funny world, this one we live in.—Fort Worth Gazette.

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THE rich are willing to accord to the poor the "glorious" privilege of begging in vain.

"DODGER" Q. Mills talks of quitting the field. This is bad news for the people's party.

IT is amusing to hear a saloon bum cursing out the honest effort of the people's party.

THE merchant should realize that better prices for products means more business for them.

THE man who never pays for his drinks sets on the beer keg and denounces everybody who differs from him politically.

IT takes two bales of cotton to bring the price that one brought a few years ago. "Work harder," is the battle cry of opponents.

Gen. Weaver addressed over 5000 people at Fort Worth last Monday and nearly as many at the fair grounds in Dallas Monday night.

Jim Brown a rich sportsman of Fort Worth was shot and killed at a racing course in Chicago last Tuesday after having killed two men. He was resisting arrest.

If the Clark democracy continues to grow like it has within the last few days, the "third party" will have to turn its attention to them. Let us watch 'em.

OUR young friend, Clarence P. Wolfe, formerly of the Evansville, (Ind.) Courier, is now editor of a bright, newsy, independent journal called the Times, at New Harmony, Indiana. May the rugged pathway of journalism be made smooth to you, Clarence, old boy, by the liberal patronage of the good people of Pasey county—the memory of whom is dear to the writer.

### Inconsistency the Only Aargument.

When the third party gets in power we will all get free passes over the railroads and can travel where and when we please. The government will own the railroads and the people will own the government and everything will be in common. What a happy time we will then have, but when, oh, when will that political millenium come?—McKinney Examiner.

Why, certainly Captain Blizzard; of course we will have everything free. The government controls the postal system and no one doubts but what you can send a letter free of charge. Sometimes a post-master violates his obligation and requires a letter to be stamped, but it is only a mistake. Yes, the new party advocates all that you mention in your "brilliant" squib—"in a horn."

Judge Nugent's opening campaign is by far the strongest document yet published in Texas from the third party standpoint, and it will take men of more than ordinary ability to meet his argument.—Farmersville Times.

## The Camp-Meeting.

### A BIG CROWD TUESDAY.

### The People's Party in the Saddle.

### THE BALL ROLLING.

There was a considerable rainfall throughout the county last Saturday and Sunday. Monday morning opened up cloudy, remaining so until noon.

It was the day for the people's party camp-meeting to begin. Everybody was uneasy about the result of the weather. Many thought it was going to rain and consequently everything was in doubt and confusion.

Notwithstanding these unfavorable conditions a large crowd arrived on Monday in wagons and horse-back eager and anxious to hear people's party doctrine. Hon. J. L. Crain, of Fort Worth, spoke to a crowd of over 1000 people on Monday evening and also spoke at night to a large crowd. He made a splendid speech which was highly appreciated by all.

Although the writer was not present we learned that Capt. Doyle of Weston entertained the audience in a well delivered address.

It having cleared up in the evening it was evident that Tuesday, the last day of the encampment would find a large crowd present.

Early on Tuesday morning wagons, buggies, and carts came rolling in from all directions and by noon Andrew's park, to use a common expression, "was alive with people."

A notable feature of the occasion was the presence of the fair sex. They were there in full force and added much to the respectability of the meeting. Everybody was in a good humor, consequently there were no rows, neither drunkenness, to disgrace the meeting.

The crowd was variously estimated to be from 2000 to 5000 people.

The meeting elicited the acknowledgement of democrats present, that the people's party was in the saddle and presented a bold front that "we must fight them as an honorable enemy."

C. A. McMeans made a lengthy speech in the morning which was ably delivered.

He was followed by Capt. Johnson, who made a brief speech.

The speeches on Tuesday evening by Messrs. Tracy, Bell and Rollins made fine impressions.

To indicate how the meeting was regarded by democrats we clip the following from the Dallas News:

MCKINNEY, Tex., Sept 6.—This is truly a time of political reckoning in old Collin. The third party people are out today in large numbers, consisting of ladies as well as gentlemen. The morning was occupied by Mr. McMeans, the alliance lecturer, in a lengthy speech, which was well received by his hearers. The speakers elicited a great deal of applause while commenting on the stealing the silver plank in the people's platform. He said Hogg had ridden the alliance up to the capital gate like Billie Mahone rode Sambo up to St. Peter's gate, and hitched them outside and went in, but it was now their time to ride Hogg out of the capital gate and they would do so in November. He amused the crowd considerably by calling Senator Mills "Dodger" Q. Mills. As usual he put the democratic party on trial and introduced Richard Coke as the chief prosecuting witness, as did Mr. Tracy during the evening,

During the evening the attendance was much larger than in the morning. It was entertained by Hon. Harry Tracy in a speech of two hours, in which he dissected the democratic national platform and dwelt at length on the people's party platform and the car stables platform adopted at Houston. He said the Clark party being in line with the national democracy must be regarded as the true democrrcy of Texas; that the Hogg people had got on the third party platform as an only hope of electing Hogg. But it would not win. The race was between Clark and Nugent; Clark representing the corporations, Nugent the people, and representing his friends and a busted commission; that Hogg's ignorance of the constitution had and would cost the state $150,000. The money subject was exhaustively handled by Mr. Tracy and his speech was listened to attentively throughout and repeatedly applauded.

Hon. R. V. Bell, candidate for congress, was present and followed Mr. Tracy in an able address in defense af his party and its principles, which was listened to and applauded by his hearers. One of the notable features of the occasion was the fact tnat the Hon. John Johnson appeared before the gathering renounced the democratic party and openly espoused the cause of the people's party.

The fight seems to be a sure thing between the Clark democrats and the adherents of Gov. Hogg and the car stables platform. It is reported that the Hogg executive committee will require all persons participating in the senatorial primary election to be held on the 8th of October to pledge themselves to vote the Hogg state ticket. To this the Clark men will urge no special objection as it will be in keeping with the persistent intolerance of the Hogg people. The idea seems to be to "give them rope," etc.

Dr. G. A. Foote, one of the oldest and most influential citizens of the county, has just returned from his summer trip to the north and east. He returns like he left, a tried and true Cleveland and Clark democrat. He knows a democratic platform when he sees it.

### Well Damp Victim.

FARMERSVILLE, Tex., Sept. 6.—Dave Wilcoxson and a man named Shannon went down to clean out a well on Mr. Nichols' place, three miles northwest of town, this afternoon and were suddenly overcome by damp air, and before assistance could be rendered Wilcoxson was dead and Shannon was brought to the surface more dead than alive, but he will doubtless recover.

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| 100 Straw Hats, original value from $1.00 to $2.50, now going at 25 cents. | 100 Men's Suits, worth from $20.00 to $25.00, now going at $13.50. |
| 100 Shirts, both Shield and Puff bosome, worth from $1.00 to $2.00, now being sold at 75 cents each. | 100 Mens' Suits, worth from $15.00 to $18.50, now being sold at $10.00 |
| 100 pairs Full Stock Calf Boots, worth $3.50, now going at $2.50. | 100 Mens' Suits, worth $8.50 to $12.50, going at $7.50. |
| 100 pairs Men's Hand Made, French Kid and Patent Leather, Full Dress Shoes, worth $6.50 to $7.00, now going at $4.95 | 150 Mens' Suits, worth $6.00 to $7.50, going at $4.95. |
| 100 pairs Men's Calf Shoes, SEWED OR PEGGED, worth $3 50 to $4.00, now being sold at $2.50. | |
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## A "DOG FALL,"

### AFTER 1,401 BALLOTS.

### Yokum and Doggett go Back to the People.

The convention was called to order by Capt. G. J. Davis. Mayor T. E. Bird, of Greenville, was elected temporary chairman and Hon. J. R. Gough secretary. The chair appointed as a committee on permanent organization and order of business, Geo. Jeffcoats, Tom Townsend, P. B. Muse, F. M. Newton and R. L. Porter. On credentials and basis of representation, J. F. Lockhart, M. H. Garnett, B. J. Hynds, Berry Luster and N. F. Harris. On resolutions, W. P. Fagg, M. D. Cowell, B. F. Looney, S. L. Elder and W. A. O'Neal.

After a recess of thirty minutes, the convention was called to order, and the committee on permanent organization reported E. R. Stiff, of McKinney, as chairman, Hon. J. R. Gough and Editor Harris of Greenville, as secretaries; A. W. Knighton was appointed sargeant-at-arms.

The roll was called and Mr. W. T. Beaverly in a masterly speech placed in nomination Hon. J. L. Doggett, of Collin county.

Judge Sherrill arose and in a splendid speech placed in nomination Hon. C. H. Yokum, of Hunt county.

G. R. Smith, of Collin seconded Doggett's nomination.

Ben Looney, in a short speech seconded Yokum's nomination.

R. C. White, of McKinney made a short talk seconding the nomination of Doggett. Doc. Turner spread himself for Yokum. With this speech, nominations closed and a ballot was ordered. The result was announced: Doggett 17; Yokum 15. For 197 ballots the result was the same. At the close of the 197th ballot, John F. Lockhart of Copeville offered a resolution that all the delegates be turned loose from their instructions to vote as they thought they could best serve their constituents. This resolution was violently opposed by Judge Muse, and ably argued by Ben Kooney and Judge Sherrill. The question was put and the chairman ruled that the delegates had no right to pass the resolution turning themselves loose. Mr. Looney arose and appealed from the chair's ruling to the house. The vote was put and the motion carried. The delegates were released from instructions. Balloting was resumed and stood: Doggett 17; Yokum 15; up to 214th ballot. When that ballot was reached, two Collin county delegates went over to Yokum. It stood that way all day and until 11 o'clock at night when an adjournment was had to 8 o'clock Friday morning. When the convention was called to order Friday everybody was blue, as it dawned on them it was a dead lock that could not be broken. Balloting continued 17 for Yokum and 15 for Doggett, as the day before, all morning. At the close of the 1400th ballot Capt. Hynds of Hunt moved that the two candidates be turned loose before the people. This was opposed by the Collin delegation and the motion was withdrawn in order to refer the solution of the lock to a committee of three from each county. At 1:30 o'clock the committee reported an agreement to refer the matter back to primaries, a plurality vote to decide who shall be the nominee. The convention adopted the report amid tumultuous applause Doggett and Yokum were both called and made brief speeches.

Thus ends a memorable dead lock and thus begins a heated campaign. Both men are good speakers and the welkin will ring,—Farmersville Times.

### Gen. Weaver's Denial.

THE News has received the following with the request to place it before the public:

DALLAS, Tex., Sept. 5.—Hon. H. L. Bentley, manager people's party campaign, Fort Worth, Tex.: Dear sir:—My attention has been called to the publication in various democratic papers concerning my administration as commander of the post at Pulaski, Tenn., in the winter of 186-34. The charge that I ever imprisoned any one and then released him for a monied consideration, or that I ever oppressed any one, male or female, or ever charged the people of that locality for passes through the lines of the federal army or that I ever in any manner extorted money from the people of that locality and appropriated the same to my own use is an unmitigated lie.

I was assigned the post at Pulaski by order of Gen. G. M. Dodge, commander of the left wing of the sixteenth army corps. Upon entering that part of Tennessee, Gen. Dodge issued an order and made it public in which he stated that his army was in need of supplies of every kind and stated that if the people would bring in supplies vouchers would be rendered for the same without making any inquiries as to the loyalty or disloyalty of the parties. People brought in their supplies and vouchers were given them and they were all paid by the assistant commissary general, Cyrus C. Carpenter.

During my administration as commander of the post a large number of refugees come within our lines. They came from the confederate army in Alabama and elsewhere. They were totally without supplies and destitute and at that time they could not be allowed to depart without restraint. Gen. Dodge issued an order commanding me to make a levy of $2000, as I now remember, from wealthy citizens living in the vicinity for the purpose of paying for supplies necessary for the sustenance of these refugees. In obedience to that order, I issued an order reciting the authority under which I was acting, and served it on certain parties named in the statement sent out from Pulaski. The money collected was paid direct to Cyrus C. Carpenter, assistant commissary general of the left wing of the sixteenth army corps and did not pass through my hands, as I now remember, and the wants of the refugees were supplied.

Gen. Dodge is well known to the people of Texas, being in charge of an extensive railway system within your state, and Col. Carpenter has since served as an officer in the treasury department, as a member of congress, and as governor of t state of Iowa. To these o cers, and to all others w knew me in the army, I re all questions concerning m rectitude as an honerable so dier. There is not a huma being—man, woman, or child liying or dead, that I ever o pressed or mistreated while was in the service of my cou try. The confiscation of pro erty is cruel the taking of li is cruel, but unfortunately o unhappy country had a surfe of it. For my standing in th community, and during th time I commanded the sai post, I refer to Mr. Harris, th Ballentyne family, Rev. Rob Caldwell and others who live in Pulaski at the time of m sojourn there. My associatio with the people was as peac able and fraternal as possibl ble during the existence of hos tilities, and remarkably so i all that region of the country There was but little difficult in that country during the tim that Gen. Dodge was in camp there with his army corps.

You are at liberty to make such use of this letter as you may deem proper. Fraternally yours.

J. B. WEAVER.

SHILOH'S CATARRH REMEDY. A marvelous cure for catarrh, diphtheria, canker mouth and headache. With each bottle there is an ingenious nasal injector for the more successful treatment of those complaints without extra charge. Price 50c. Sold by R. E. Bristol.

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Why do so many people we see around us seem to prefer to suffer and be made miserable by indigestion, constipation, dizziness los of appetite, coming up of the blood, yellow skin, when for 75c. we will sell them Shiloh's Vitalizer, guaranteed to cure them. Sold by R. E. Bristol.

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J. Mart Rollins.

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E. W. Kirkpatrick.
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For Tax Assessor:
W. H. Slater.

For Tax Collector:
R. S. Sneed.

For Treasurer:
A. S. Graves.

For County Clerk:
R. A. Bailey.

For District Clerk:
W. M. Barron.

Independent for Sheriff:
Todd Warden.

## LOCAL NEWS.

Personal politics are playing out in Collin county.

The public schools at this place convened Monday with a good attendance.

Robt. Bartholomew, a former section foreman of the M. K. & T., at this place is in the city.

The post-office address of the county alliance secretary is Miss Laura Spivy, Plano, Tex.

Our office was the recipient of many callers within the last few days. Come again gentlemen.

There was a large crowd in the city last Mondy, it being the first Monday and People's party day.

We beg pardon for the general make up of our paper this week. The camp-meeting has taxed our time considerably.

The camp-meeting managers are more than thankful for the liberal donations of citizens towards paying the expenses.

A man by the name of Thompson and Lawrence Waddell had a fight last Saturday evening. No serious damage done.

The promoters of the camp-meeting were pleased to see so many McKinneyites out at the speaking. It shows a friendly spirit.

A dusky damsel was led to the calaboose by Sam Burk last Tuesday night and created considerable excitement by her loud lamentations.

The opposition is always ready to answer something that has never been said.

Dr. T. U. Reedy will be in McKinney on Monday and Tuesday the 19th and 20th of this month.

Chief Warden deputy marshal had a lively tussel with a man by the name of Joe Wilder last Monday evening while trying to arrest the latter.

The only argument we have heard against the speaking at Andrews' park last Tuesday was in the nature of a burlesque.

We made a pleasant trip to the Rowlett community last Saturday and Sunday, where we were entertained by Mr. W. R. Bailiff and family.

Cards are out announcing the marriage of Tom W. Perkins of the Wylie Rustler and Miss Sallie Faulkner of that city on the 15th instant. We acknowledge a kind invitation to be present.

Mrs. M. E. Brown of Irvington, Kentucky is visiting the family of her sister, Mrs John Shuman east of McKinney. With all due respect for Texas she still loves her Kentucky home where she will remain.

The republican county convention selected 9 delegates last Saturday to attend the state convention on the 13th instant at Fort Worth.

Hon. Arch Cochran of Dallas addressed the convention.

Persons troubled with chronic diarrhœa should try Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy. Many cases have been cured by it after all else had failed and skilled physicians were powerless. For sale by R. E. Bristol.

LADIES
Needing a tonic, or children who want building up, should take
BROWN'S IRON BITTERS.
It is pleasant to take, cures Malaria, Indigestion, Biliousness and Liver Complaints.

Mr. I. G. Lunday & Son, have located in McKinney, and will act as agents of the Wheeler & Wilson sewing machine.

There is a prominent farmer in Denton county by the name of S. Sconce, who knew Gen. Weaver many years ago. Mr. Sconce served on the jury before whom the General made his first speech. He will vote for Weaver though he is a strong Hogg supporter.

**Miles' Nerve & Liver Pills.**

Acts on a new principle—regulating the liver, stomach and bowels through the nerves. A new discovery. Dr. Miles' Pills speedily cure biliousness, bad taste, torpid liver, piles, constipation. Unequalled for men, women, children. Smallest, mildest, surest! 50 doses, 25 cts. Samples Free, at Smith Bros, Drug Store.

Mr J. H. Sneed has purchased an interest in the furniture house of J. W. Asbery and will hereafter be found there to politely wait on all friends who may call. He is a clever gentleman and we feel sure that the new firm will prove to be one of the most reliable in the county.

A little boy of Mrs. McDonald's living near here, fell against a red-hot stove and was fearfully burned. The pain was terrible, and it was thought the burn was so severe as to scar the child for life. I sold the lady a bottle of Chamcerlain's Pain Balm, which, after greasing the sore, she applied. It soon removed all the fire and eased the pain, and in ten days the boy was well no trace of the scrr remaining. J. D. McLaren, Keysport, Clinton county, Ill For sale by R. E. Bristol.

Shorty, the painter, showed us an excellent piece of work just executed for Sol Fitzhugh. It is a large picture of a horse to be used as a livery sign. Shorty is one of the best painters in the state and we feel sure that his work will bear us out in the statement.

**When the Heart is Affected**

By Rheumatism or any of the muscles near that organ it is like tampering with an electric wire for death may come at any moment. If life is worth $5, go to the druggist and get Dr. Drummond's Lightning Remedy or send to the Drummond Medicine Co., 48-50 Maiden Lane, New York, and they will send you a large bottle by prepaid express. It is not as quick as electricity, but it will save your life if you take it in time. Agents wanted.

Some of the boys are telling that R. A. Bailey was found in the upper edge of Dallas county making a vigorous canvass for county clerk. Bob says he is going to show his appreciation for votes if he has to canvass all North Texas.

A gentleman who has been taking the DEMOCRAT for about 12 months, taxed our modesty the other day by entering our office and inquiring for the "brainy editor of the DEMOCRAT."

Be careful gentlemen, we are not used to flattery.

Among the incidents of childhood that stand ont in bold relief, as our memory reverts to the days when we were young, none are more prominent than severe sickness. The young mother vividly remembers that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy cured her of croup, and in turn administers it to her own offspring and always with the best results. For sale by R. E. Bristol.

The colored people had a successful people's party camp meeting on Friday and Saturday last at Johnson's grove. Melvin Wade and other noted speakers addressed the meeting. On Friday night the crowd was estimated at about 600 and on Saturday atabout 1000. The rain spoiled the program on Saturday night, at which time Melvin Wade was to address the crowd again.

**$100 Reward 100.**

The readers of the DEMOCRAT will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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The Subscription of the Democrat is Climbing Upward and Onward.

READ THE LATEST RETURNS.

The following is a list of new subscribers since our last issue. We would like that some one in each community would get us up a list. We are willing to wait until fall for our pay.

Geo Baxter.
W H Ramsey.
W H Graves.
A N Hays.
J P Miller.
R J Lee.
A B McKissick.
J T Hartman.
J G Turner.
W E Edens.
Wm Willford.
B F Yother.
Mosey Sandy.
E J Smith.
F M Mathis.
J M Stout.
J F Mennamy.
J F Hawes.
N D Bains.
W J Reeves.
W J Wylie.
J C Graves.
R L Wilcoxson.
L A Zachary.
W T Carr.
C W Lewis.
W T Brison.
H B Reeves.
J W Lowry.
A E Pope.
S L Joins.
Charlie Joins.
A Utley.
Homer Wheatley.
W A Johnson.
J W Venable.
W H covey.
W F Anderson.
J T Howard.
A Bird.
J L Newcomb.
A L Meek.
N A Woods.
F L Long.
J F Whitehead.
Sam Stockton.
J C England.
O P England.
R J Benson.
C H Mayson.

**FELL DEAD.**

These words are very familiar to our readers, as not a day passes without the report of the sudden death of some prominent citizen. The explanation is "Heart Disease." Therefore beware if you have any of the following symptoms: Short Breath, Pain in Side, Smothering Spells, Swollen Angles, Asthmatic Breathing, Weak and Hungry Spells, tenderness in shoulder or arm, fluttering of heart or irregular pulse. These symptoms mean heart disease. The most reliable remedy is Dr. Miles' new heart cure, which has saved thousands of lives. Book of testimonials free at Smith Bros. drug store, who also sells the new heart cure. no. 1.

**Walden's Texas Business College, Austin and Fort Worth.**

These are the great practical training schools of the south. Schools that all Texas look upon with pride. The course of study is in touch with the living demands of the age. They prepare young men and women for the active duties of life, giving them training in those things that make them independent and self-sustaining.

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It is estimated that over 700 pupils will attend these popular schools this year. Look to your interest, and write for their beautifully illustrated catalogue.

**Wear's New Gallery**

will be on the ground floor, with the best skylight ever opened in the city. This was the greatest trouble at the old stand, where at certain times, to make a good negative was impossible. Will be open the first of October, just west of the Foote House.

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for county judge of Collin county. Tom was born and raised in Collin county. He studied law under Gov. Roberts and Judge Gould, at the State University, at Austin, where he graduated in 1887 and has been practicing his profession in McKinney since that time. His ability for the position is not doubted in the least, even by his opponents. His unasuming manner and close attention to business, together with his refusal to meddle with the affairs of others, commends his candidacy to the voters of Collin county. He has never been active in political life and though his opinions may differ from his fellow men, he is never heard going around abusing his opponents in an undue manner. If elected he will certainly make an impartial judge and work to the interest of Collin county and her people. No one can honestly charge him with being a chronic office seeker, and his present candidacy is the result of hearty solicitations from hundreds of citizens.

**A Goood Thing To Keep at Hand.**

From the Troy (Kansas) Chief.

Some years ago we were very much subject to severe spells of cholera morbus; and now when we feel any of the symtoms that usually preceed that ailment, such as sickness of the stomach, diarrhœa, etc., we become scary. We have found Chamberland's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy the very thing to straighten one out in such cases, and always keeps it about. We are not we not writing for a pay testimonial, but to let our readers know what is a good thing to keep handy in the horse. For sale by R. E. Bristol.

**Bailey's Celebrated Letter.**

We have been requested to reproduce Hon. J. W. Bailey's celebrated letter dated April 2, 1892, and addressed to a citizen of Farmersville, which reads as follows:

"You can hardly imagine (certainly I had but little idea of it before coming here) how difficult it is to stand for what we know is right. The "influences" here are all against a man who dares to defy the customs and to insist upon obeying the constitution. Half of the men here talk one way at home and another way here, but when I find that I cannot speak and act on the floor of this house exactly as I would speak and act in the grove at Farmersville, I will resign. If the people could see how their representatives conduct their business in congress there would be infinitely more complaint than there is. Many of these would-be statesmen seem to think that in order to show that they are broad minded, they are broad minded, they must affect to despise the opinions of their people. I am glad to say that none of our Texas representatives are subject to this criticism for they are faithful in all things. I confess to you that I never feared for the future of my country as I do today, and as sure as we live we must go back to old democratic principles or else we will go forward to absolute ruin."

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Will be paid for any case of Rheumatism which cannot be cured by Dr. Drummond's Lightning Remedy. This offer is made in good faith by the proprietors, and there is no reasonable excuse for any one to suffer longer. Any ordinary case will be cured with one bottle. In addition to the reward for difficult cases, the money is always refunded where the remedy fails to cure. The price of a bottle is $5—and that is the price of a cure. Drummond Medicine Co., 48-50 Maiden Lane, New York. Agents wanted.

**On What a Cough.**

Will you heed the warning. The signal perhaps of the sure approach of that more terrible disease Consumption. Ask yourselves if you can afford for the sake of saving 50c., to run the risk and do nothing for it. We know from experience that Shilo's Cure will cure your cough. It never fails. This explains why more than a Million Bottles were sold the past year. It relieves croup and whooping cough at once. Mothers, do not be without it. For lame back, side or chest use Shio's Porous Plaster. Sold by R. E. Bristol.

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A certain cure for Chronic Sore Eyes, Tetter, Salt Rheum, Scald Head, Old Chronic Sores, Fever Sores, Eczema, Itch, Prairie Scratches, Sore Nipples and Piles. It is cooling and soothing. Hundreds of cases have been cured by it after all other treatment had failed. It is put up in 25 and 50 cent boxes.

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We will say to those needing anything in our line that you can not afford to pass us we will SAVE YOU MONEY, at North East Corner of Square.

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**School Apportionment.**

The following list shows the number of pupils assigned to the various school districts of Collin county. The apportionment from state and county is $5.25 per capita for the school year beginning Sept. 1st, 1892.

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Co. Sup. Collin Co.

| NO. | PUPILS | NO. | PUPILS |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1. Lone Star | 74 | 66. Arnold's Creek | 41 |
| 2. Richards | 56 | 67. McWhirter | 69 |
| 3. Burgess | 56 | 69. Pleasant Ridge | 56 |
| 4. Decatur | 50 | 70-86. Cottage Hill | 63 |
| 6. Merit | 58 | 71. Verona | 57 |
| 7. Cottonwood | 46 | 72. Wilkins | 60 |
| 8. Pilgrim | 97 | 73. Thom'son 1-2-3 | 123 |
| 9. Barksdale | 52 | 74. Rosamond | 36 |
| 10. St. Paul 1 and 2 | 102 | 75. Lebanon | 104 |
| 11. Hedgecoxe | 62 | 76. Pond Branch | 69 |
| 12. Illinois | 67 | 78. Bloomdale | 43 |
| 13. Allen | 146 | 79. Sabine | 56 |
| 14. Longneck | 67 | 80. Spring Hill | 76 |
| 15. Mt. Carmel | 32 | 81. Hackbone | 46 |
| 16. Upper Rowlett | 80 | 83. Winningkoff | 42 |
| 17. McMinn | 49 | 84. Harris | 56 |
| 18. Farmersville | 85 | 85. Barnett | 33 |
| 19. Bethany 1 and 2 | 111 | 87. Pleasant Grove | 19 |
| 20. Milligan | 74 | 88. Rhea's Mill | 63 |
| 21. White's Grove | 68 | 92. Sachse | 20 |
| 22. Blue Ridge | 170 | 90. McDonald | 17 |
| 24. Anna | 188 | 91. Hunt Co. Line | 67 |
| 25. Richland | 43 | 92. Jonnson | 60 |
| 26. Wilson | 107 | 93. Brown | 27 |
| 27. Stiffs | 81 | 94. Corinth | 52 |
| 28. Union | 42 | 95. Jewel | 28 |
| 29. Rock Quarry | 63 | 96. Burger | 56 |
| 30. Wetsel | 63 | 97. New Albany | 61 |
| 31. Midway | 63 | 98. Prairie Grove | 91 |
| 32. Forest Grove | 91 | 99. Hickman | 73 |
| 33. Walnut Grove | 50 | 100. Bois d'Arc | 78 |
| 34. Mt. Pisgah | 96 | 101. Aew Hope | 69 |
| 35. Wilmeth | 62 | 102. Emerson | 41 |
| 36. Stony Point | 58 | 103. Liberty Hill | 71 |
| 37. Clear Lake | 39 | 104. Cross Roads | 59 |
| 38. Chambers | 74 | 105. Higgins | 32 |
| 39. Trinity | 49 | 106. Independence | 28 |
| 40. Bethel W | 26 | 107. Helms | 41 |
| 41. Nevada | 158 | 108. Seven Points | 74 |
| 42. Little Creek | 102 | 109. Sellers | 58 |
| 43. Celina | 64 | 110. Enlos | 35 |
| 44. Millwood 1-2 | 103 | 111. Woodlawn | 50 |
| 45. Dallas Co. Line | 45 | 112. Rymer Springs | 54 |
| 46. Cox | 60 | 113. Flowers | 48 |
| 47. Coffman | 79 | 114. Rivers | 65 |
| 48. Pleasant Valley | 49 | 115. Ash Grove | 51 |
| 49. Bishop | 42 | 116. Kelly | 63 |
| 50. Weston | 64 | 117. New Life | 35 |
| 51. Bowlby | 55 | 118. Josephine | 66 |
| 52. Farmers | 57 | 119. Mesquite Flats | 52 |
| 53. Liberty | 62 | 120. Franklin | 39 |
| 54. Bethel S. | 83 | 122. Ronner | 45 |
| 55. Bear Creek | 105 | 123. Pleasant Hill | 27 |
| 56. Faulkner | 32 | 124. Stinson | 51 |
| 57. Mantua | 77 | 125. Dixon | 41 |
| 58. Frankford | 36 | 126. Oak Grove | 57 |
| 59. Melissa | 155 | 127. Massy | 23 |
| 60. Prairie View | 44 | 128. Altoga | 36 |
| 61. Blackberry | 38 | 129. Pedigo | 56 |
| 62. Warden | 66 | 130. Hopewell | 35 |
| 63. Nickelville | 139 | 131. Mississippi | 58 |
| 64. Willow Springs | 86 | 132. Hutcherson | 73 |
| 65. Plano | 70 | | |

**FAIL TO DO OUR DUTY.**

Everybody has at times failed to do their duty towards themselves. Hundreds of lady readers suffer from sick headache, nervousness, sleeplessness and female troubles. Let them follow the example of Mrs. H. Herbechter, Stevens Point, Wis., who for five years suffered greatly from nervous prostration and sleeplessness, tried physicians and different medicines without success. But one bottle of Dr. Miles' nervine caused sound sleep every night and she is feeling like a new person. Mrs. Elizabeth Wheeler, Laramie City, Wyoming, who tried all other remedies, declares that after three week's use of the nervine for headache, nervous prostration, etc., she was entirely relieved. Sold by Smith Bros. Trial bottle free. no. 1.

**The Late Fire**

having consumed the building and contents of Wears Art Gallery, delays the re-opening of this establishment for a while, but Mr. Wear tells us he will be ready for business again about the first of October, in the new building being erected for his special use, just west of the Foote House. This will be the best arranged gallery ever opened in McKinney, and we hope all who want fine work will give him a call.

**Music for Everybody.**

M. B. Rexaode, one door south of Collin county bank handles the Mathushek, Waterloo and other makes of organs, which he will sell for cash or in installments on the most reasonable terms.

**Dissolution Notice.**

The firm of Caldwell & Webb has dissolved partnership by mutual consent. Dr. I. E. Webb will remain in the same office while Dr. A. J. Caldwell will occupy a nicely fitted office over the old board house south side square McKinney, Tex.

☞See the "Mathusheck."

**My New Gallery**

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East Line Railroad.

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| G. R. Smith, | County Attorney. |
| M. W. Keen, | County Clerk. |
| W. S. Phillips, | Sheriff. |
| John W. McKinney, | Tax Collector. |
| R. A. McLarry, | Tax Assessor. |
| W. H. Taylor, | County Treasurer. |
| S. P. Clardy, | County Surveyor. |

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DALLAS, Tex., Sept. 6.—[To The DEMOCRAT.]—At the last meeting of the State Horticultural Society a resolution was adopted joining the effects of the society with those of the Texas State fair in the matter of having Texas represented at the World's Fair. The plan agreed upon was for every member of the society and every individual in Texas interested in horticulture, who could be induced to do so, to make an individual exhibit at the State Fair, for which $1,600 is offered in premiums. From these exhibits selected specimens will be preserved to be sent next year to the World's Fair. By this means the already fine exhibit collected will be augmented and Texas will shine at Chicago in her horticultural department.

The Texas State Fair has undertaken to have Texas properly represented at the World's Fair and that is, in itself, a guarantee of success. Texas will be at Chicago and in form to excite the admiration of all beholders, to swell the bosom of every Texan with pride and to reflect credit upon the energy, enterprise and liberality of the Texas State Fair association to whom all the honor and credit of the exhibit will be due.

To achieve the best results in this direction the Fair association has divided the State into four departments, making a specialty of county exhibits. It offers $2,000 in premiums in each one of these departments, as follows:

First, best county exhibit, $800; second best, $500; third best, $300; fourth best $200; fifth best, $1.25; sixth best, $75, aggregating $8,000 for the four departments. In addition it offers $400 in each department as follows:

First best individual farm exhibit, $225; second best, $100; third best, $75, making $1,600 for the whole, or a grand total of nearly $10,000. In the fourth department only products raised wholly, or in part by irrigation will be exhibited. space for these exhibits is free and it would seem that each county in the state would avail itself of this rare opportunity to make known to the thousands of visitors at the State Fair, and the millions at the World's Fair, its resources and the advantages and inducements it has to offer to the capitalist and to the home hunter.

These county and individual exhibits will be preserved by the Fair association until next year and will then be sent to the World's Fair. Space has already been obtained, 200x200 or 40,000 square feet through Col. Henry Exall, World's Fair commissioner for Texas. The noble ladies of Texas are making a supreme effort to have a Texas building erected at the World's Fair and if they succeed the exhibit will be placed in this building and the space obtained relinquished. Each county competing for a premium at the State Fair will be given separate space at Chicago, but so arranged as to blend and form one harmonious exhibit from Texas. The fair association is also getting premiums in the ladies department on all exhibits intended for subsequent exhibition at the World's Fair. Individual farm exhibits will go with the counties they come from. Which with the county, individual farm, horticultural and woman's work exhibits already collected and to be augmented at the State Fair. Texas will have an exhibit that will be an epitome to her every resource and capability and that will be an honor to, and worthy of the great commonwealth.

The races at the Fair this year, lasting through twelve days will be of unusual brilliancy. There will be $28,000 in purses which sum will secure good horses and good horeses insure good sport.

October 24 and 25 will be confederate days and thousands of the old veterans from all over Texas and other southern states will assemble in reunion and have a happy time living over war days. Mrs. Jeff Davis and daughter, Miss Winnie, will be present and Gens. Beauregard, Gordon, Early and Longstreet have signified their intention of meeting with their old comrades of the lost cause" on that occasion.

The Fair association is this year offering premiums for the greatest number of tickets sold to the fair. The lady selling the greatest number of tickets locally, that is in any city or town in Texas will be awarded a valuable premium. For the state at large there are 12 premiums and the lady selling the most tickets in the state will receive first premium and so on through the list of twelve. Ladies competing for the local premiums can also enter the state contest, the tickets sold locally being competed. The premiums consist of phaetons, scholarships, pianos, organs, and gold watches. The Oak Cliff female college offers two of these scholarships embracing each a year's board and tuition, music included, at the college. This college is chartered by the state, occupies the Oak Cliff hotel building and its curriculum and corps of professors are equal to those of any other female college in the entire country.

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On the whole the Fair this year will far surpass all previous fairs and every citizen of Texas having the development of the state at heart should encourage and help this great public industrial enterprise, one of the most potential factors in the economy of the state's progress.

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## PEOPLE'S PARTY PLATFORMS.

### National Platform.

Finance—We demand a national currency, safe, sound and flexible, issued by the general government only, full legal tender for all debts, public and private, and that without the use of banking corporations, just, equitable and efficient distribution direct to the people at a tax not to exceed 2 per cent. per annum to be provided as set forth in the subtreasury plan of the farmer's alliance, or some better system, also by payments in discharge of its obligations for public improvements.

A. We demand free and unlimited coinage of silver and gold at the present legal ratio of 16 to 1.

B. We demand the amount of the circulating medium be speedily increased to not less than $50 per capita.

C. We demand a graduated income tax.

D. We believe the money of the country should be kept as much as possible in the hands of the people, and hence demand all state and national revenues shall be limited to the necessary expense of government economically and honestly administered.

E. We demand postal savings banks be established by the government for the safe deposit of the earnings of the people and to facilitate exchange. Transportation being means of exchange and a public necessity, the government should own and operate the railroads in the interest of the people. The telegraph and telephone, like the postoffice system, being necessary for the transmission of news should be owned and operated by the government in the interest of the people.

LAND.

Land including all natural sources of wealth is the heritage of the people and should not be monopolized for speculative purposes and alien ownership of land should be prohibited. All the lands held by railroads and other corporations in excess of their actual needs and all lands now owned by aliens should be reclaimed by the government and held for actual settlers only.

STATE PLATFORM.

Section 1. All the public lands of Texas remaining and that can be recovered should be reserved as homesteads for actual settlers. All lands heretofore granted to individuals or corporations in which the grantees have not complied with the conditions of the grant should be forfeited to the state for homestead purposes, no alien ownership of lands should be allowed in Texas; corporations shall not be allowed to own more land than they actually use in the prosecution of their business.

Sec. 2. We favor an effective system of public schools for six months in the year for all children between the ages of 6 and 20. We demand the adoption of a uniform series of text-books for the public schools of this state and that they be published at the expense of the state, which shall be furnished to the children in the schools at cost.

Sec. 3. We demand an amendment to our state constitution authorizing the loaning of our permanent school fund not otherwise invested upon lands of the people of this state at a low rate of interest with proper limitations upon the quantity of land and the amount of money.

Sec. 4. We demand reformation in the punishment of convicts that convict labor be taken out of competition with citizen labor; that convicts be given intellectual and moral instructions, and that the earnings of the convict, above the expense of keeping, shall go to his family.

Sec. 5. We demand that railroads be compelled to pay their employes in the lawful money of the country, and in case of discharge then they be paid at the nearest station immediately upon their discharge.

Sec. 6. We demand fair elections and an honest count of the votes, under either the Australian or some similar system of voting.

Sec 7. We favor a railway commission with power to fix and maintain rates that will insure equal and exact justice to the people and the railways. The commission to be composed of three qualified citizens of the state to be elected by a direct vote of the people. But we regard government ownership as the ultimate solution of the railroad problem in the limits of the state.

Sc. 8. We demand an efficient lien law, that will protect and material men.

Sec. 9. We demand that a law be passed declaring eight hours to be a legal day's work, where it is not otherwise provided by contract.

10. We demand that the maximum salaries of county officers shall not exceed $2000 per annum, after all expenses of any such office have been paid, and that surplus in excess of such salary and expenses shall be paid into and become a part of the available public school fund of such county and that said excess be prorated in such counties.

11. We demand the establishment of the state bureau of labor. We favor the creation of a state board of arbitration to adjust all differences between corporation and employes.

12. We demand that commissioner's courts be not allowed to contract a debt against a county for more than $5,000, unless the same be ordered by a majority vote of the county

13. We favor such a change in the constitution as shall prohibit national bankers and members of railway, telegraph and telephone companies and their attorneys, or who shall have held such positions within two years prior to an election from holding any legislative or judicial office within this state.

### Reduced Rates.

The East Line and Red River R. R. will sell tickets to Austin and return at one and one-third fare for the round trip on account of the meeting of the ELECTRIC MEDICAL ASSOCIATION. Tickets will be on sale October 9th and 10th and good to return October 14th, 1892.

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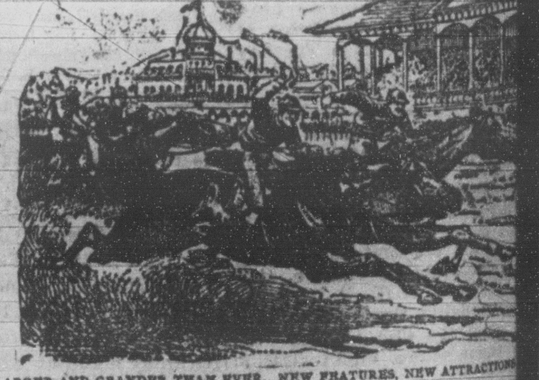

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